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SUBJ: SPECIAL TRADE OPPORTUNITY

1. GOVERNMENT OF ST. LUCIA INVITES SUBMISSION OF PRE-QUALIFICATION DATA FROM INTERESTED CONTRACTORS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF AN URBAN WORKING CLASS HOUSING PROJECT AT CICERON, CASTRIES, ST. LUCIA, WHICH WILL BE FINANCED BY A LOAN FROM THE CARIBBEAN DEVELOPMENT BANK(CDB) UTILIZING USAID FUNDS. TOTAL PROJECT WOULD CONSIST OF INFRASTRUCTURE WORKS FOR SUB-DIVISION OF 105 LOW-INCOME HOUSES.

2. IT IS INTENDED THAT THE PROCEEDS OF THE LOAN WILL BE APPLIED TO PAYMENTS UNDER THE CONTRACT FOR WHICH THIS INVITATION TO BID IS ISSUED. PAYMENTS BY THE CDB OR ITS AGENT WILL BE MADE ONLY UPON APPROVAL BY ST.LUCIA GOVERNMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH TERMS/CONDITIONS OF LOAN AGREEMENT, AND WILL BE SUBJECT IN ALL RESPECTS TO TERMS/CONDITIONS OF THAT AGREEMENT.

3. PREQUALIFICATION DATA SUBMITTED FOR CONSIDERATION SHOULD INCLUDE: (1) FIRM'S EXPERIENCE AND RECORD ON SIMILAR JOB REQUIREMENTS; (2) FIRM'S CAPABILITIES AS TO SIZE, EFFICIENCY/ FINANCIAL SITUATION; (3) AVAILABILITY OF EQUIPMENT. ONLY CONTRACTORS WHOSE PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IS IN THE USA OR IN ONE OF THE MEMBER COUNTRIES OF CDB ARE ELIGIBLE TO BID.

4. SOME MATERIALS/FITTINGS ARE BEING PROCURED BY THE URBAN DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND SCHEDULE OF THESE ITEMS WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO TENDERERS AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME.

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5. ONLY CONTRACTORS WHO HAVE PREQUALIFIED WOULD BE INVITED TO
SUBMIT TENDERS. PREQUALIFICATION DATA SHOULD BE FORWARDED
IN SEALED ENVELOPES ADDRESSED TO CHAIRMAN, JOINT COMMITTEE,
URBAN WORKING CLASS HOUSING PROJECT, CICERON, P.O. BOX
299, CASTRIES, ST. LUCIA, WI, AND MUST ARRIVE ON OR BEFORE
NOVEMBER 15, 1975. A COPY TO BE FORWARDED TO CARIBBEAN DEVELOP-
MENT BANK, P.O. BOX 408, BARBADOS, WEST INDIES.

6. EMBASSY IS PREPARED TO ASSIST AS APPROPRIATE.
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